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For: **AQUEOUS COMPOSITIONS AND THEIR USE IN THE MANUFACTURE OF PAPER  
AND PAPERBOARD**

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32 pages of specification including claims  
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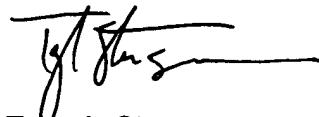
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